

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

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REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This is a U.S. National Stage Application under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of PCT/EP2003/006895 (WO 2004/005383), filed June 30, 2003, which claims the priority of DE 102 30 583.8, filed July 5, 2002.

FEDERALLY-SPONSORED RESEARCH

Not applicable

REFERENCE TO SEQUENCE LISTING

Not applicable

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

(1) Field of the Invention.

At page 1, following line 5, please insert:

(2) Description of Related Art.

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BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Not applicable

BEST AND VARIOUS MODES OF THE INVENTION

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